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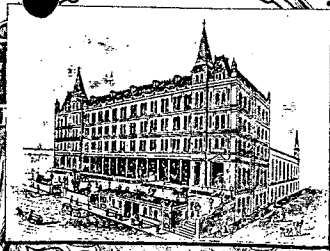

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CANNON STREET HOTEL

Cannon Street,

London, EC.4. 29th March 1923

My dear Sir,

You are aware that Government have sanctioned a rate of one pound a day as my Daily allowance during the period of my Deputation When I heard from Sir Alfred Chatterton while still in Bangalore that this would be entirely inadequate I submitted the matter to you and you were pleased to say that I might submit the matter again to you for the consideration of Court after I have been a month or so in England giving an account of

my actual expenses.

It is now little over a month since I arrived in London and I find it impossible to avoid submitting this matter for the Dewans consideration if I should avoid financial embarassment. I am staying at the Cannon Street Hotel which was recommended to me by Mr Mann Subedar of Bombay whom I was advised by the Dewan to consult on this point. I am glad to say that this is an eminently convenient hotel for business and is held in very high repute as a business hotel. The meetings of all the leading companies are held here and one meets City men of world wide renown quite often here. The hotel is centrally situated, very quiet and the rooms are large so that ~~as far as~~ my can-

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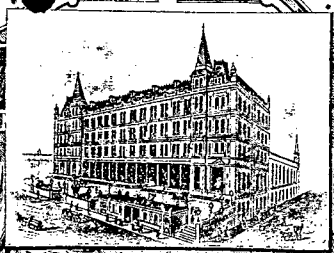

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used both as a bed and sitting rooms. It costs me 18 shillings a day for my room inclusive of breakfast and tea which I invariably have at the hotel as I am doing office work at that time there. My lunch and dinner costs me on the average about another 8 shillings. This is exclusive of charges on account of tips which no one can avoid in a London street if the would escape annoyance and insult. The Charges for the Laundry are terribly heavy. I invariably use either the Bus or the underground for going about

London but very often it becomes necessary to take a taxi either because of the wretched condition of the weather or to in order to keep all my engagements. On my account travelling expenses amount on an average to 5 Shillings a day. The Dewan is aware of this & other miscellaneous expenses such as for telephone calls etc that one has to incur. There is an additional source of expense which is becoming more frequent every day. I have often to see visitors at the hotel and as I cannot see them in my bed room I have to engage a sitting room temporarily. The charges here are ~~[illegible]~~ 12½ Shillings per room no matter for how short a time a room is engaged. ~~[illegible]~~ I do not propose to weary the Dewan with further

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Details for the list given above does not by any means include all the items of expenditure which I ~~can only~~ have to incur ~~no means avoid~~ As advised by Lord Pentland I have become a member of the National Liberal Club the last letter written to me advising me to become a member of the East India Association. All this is very useful to me in my work but unfortunately far beyond my means. I humbly beg to request that I may be granted a consolidated daily allowance of £2 a day, this allowance to include Office rent, charges of sitting room for seeing Visitors etc or I maybe granted a daily allowance of-

£ 1-10-0 per day and I maybe permitted to have
a separate sitting room for Abbie, being Visitors at
the rate of £ 0-12-6 a day. Whatever the Govt may
be pleased to order, a Cablegram may kindly be
sent to Courts to pay me the enhanced rate with
effect from the 25th January the date of my arrival
in London. I beg that this may be done early in order
to avoid financial embarrassment to me

In regard to my work I do not think it is quite
my province to write in detail about it. I however
beg to state that I shall endeavour to the best of my
Capacity to give satisfaction to the Dewan and justify
my election. I shall not spare himself in any
way and I believe, God helping me, I shall earn the

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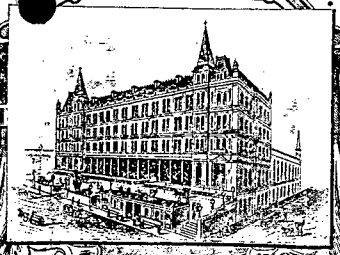

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approbation of my Govt

I beg to remain sir

Very respectfully yours

C Rangacharlu Rao Sahib

A. R. Banerji Esq C.S.I. C.I.E. &c

Dewan of Mysore

Extract from the Proceedings of the 646th *Meeting of the Council of His Highness the Maharaja, held at Bangalore on the* 28th April 1923. *19* .

257. Subject. - Clause v of the schedule.

Revising the rates of daily allowance of Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib.

OPINION OF THE COUNCIL.

The daily allowance of Mr. Ranganatha Rao Sahib in England may be raised to £2 a day which will include office and room rent, and all incidental expenses except payments to establishment and office contingencies.

(Signed) A. R. BANERJI,

Dewan of Mysore.

"EXTRACT"

Chief Secretary to Government.

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Subject.- Revising the rates of daily allowance Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib.

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Extract from the Proceedings of the Council is put up.

Forwarded, with compliments, to the Financial Secretary to Government, under paragraph 9 * of the Government Order No. G. 17572-8—G. M. 676-17-1, dated 22nd June 1918.

By Order,

Chief Secretary to Government.

*9. (*a*) If the views expressed by the Financial Secretary in any case, whether original or un-officially referred, are not accepted by the Member of Government in charge, or by the Dewan and Members of Council, as the case may be, the file containing the discussions shall be sent to the Financial Secretary a second time, in order to enable him, in cases in which he considers that the orders proposed to be issued are opposed to financial rules of Government or to recognised financial principles or for other reasons of a financial nature, are open to objection, to record a respectful representation to that effect, which will be placed by the Dewan before His Highness the Maharaja for consideration.

(*b*) All cases sent to the Financial Secretary under this rule should be treated as immediate and returned to the Department concerned within three days of receipt.

Submitted to His Highness.

Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib, who is on deputation in England, A has, in his letter of the 29th March 1923, made a representation for the enhancement of his daily allowance in England.

Originally the Council recommended that he may be given his present pay of Rs.800 per mensem together with daily allowance of 30 shillings. Subsequently the matter was considered with reference to a note of the First Member and it was agreed that the pay may be D fixed at Rs.1,000 and the allowance reduced to £ 1 a day. This was B approved by His Highness on the 18th December 1922 and orders were issued accordingly.

Before Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib left, he told me that from information he had obtained, the rate of £ 1 per day would be inadequate and I had told him that the matter could not be reconsidered then, but that if necessary, he might make a further representation for the consideration of Government after he had been in England for some months. His letter of the 29th March explains the position clearly. As a representative of the Mysore Government, Mr. Ranganatha Rao Sahib has to maintain a certain position, and receive and entertain visitors, suitably. He has asked that his daily allowance may be raised to £ 2 per day.

C The question was considered in Council on the 28th April 1923, when the following resolution was recorded:-

> "The daily allowance of Mr. Ranganatha Rao Sahib in England may be raised to £ 2 a day which will include office and room rent, and all incidental expenses except payments to establishment and office contingencies."

Mr. Ranganatha Rao Sahib is doing useful work and I am satisfied that the allowance now proposed, which will include office and other expenses, except contingencies is reasonable.

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Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

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31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may, in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to the Members of Council for perusal of

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His Highness' orders $\frac{\text{before}}{\text{after}}$ issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure)

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Chief Secretary to Govt.

Through the Secretary to Government.

.....Department.

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL. Not at Head quarters.

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

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THIRD MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

C.B File No. 113 of 1922.

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	Daily allowance of Mr. C Ranganatha Rao Sahib Draft G.O. is submitted. 9.5.23. This has the sanction & the fees for personal expenses issue & 10/5. 10/5/23 10/5
8	To the Comptroller thro' Fin. Secy. Mr. Ranganatha Rao Sahib G.O. No 5190-1 & 10.5.23 Raises the daily allowance of Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib to £2 a day with effect from the 25th Jan.y 23 in order to cover all expenditure for official purposes.

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ROUTINE NOTES.

[To be used only for notes, requisitions, etc., not intended for permanent record]

In G.O. No. 5190-1 / C.B. 113-21-8 & 10th May 1923 raising the rate of Mr. C. Ranganathan Rao Saheb's daily allowance from £1 10 £2, the date of his arrival in London is noted as 25th January 1923. This is ~~based on~~ the date given in his letter & 29th March 1923.

Mr. Rao Saheb left Bombay in the end of Jan^{y} 23. From a perusal of the 1st sentence in para 2 of his letter, it will be seen that the date given by him is apparently a mistake for 25th February 1923. A D.O. letter to Comptroller is submitted

Asst
11/6/23

D.O. letter no 5551 approved by Chief Secretary was issued on 11.6.23.

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no 5552 copy to Mr. Ranganathan Rao Saheb.

N. B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must de copied, or slips pasted on this form.

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Proceedings

Read:-

1) Paragraph 2(iii) of P.O. No. 3828-9/C.B. 113-22-3 of 21st Dec. '22 sanctioning the grant of daily allowance at £1 except on Board Steamer to Mr C. Ranganatha Rao Saheb, B.A.B.L during the period of his Deputation

and No 5790-1 of C.B. 113-21-5 1st May 1923

2) Mr. Ranganatha Rao Saheb's representation that in addition to his hotel & personal expenses he has to incur expenditure for official purposes on account of office rent, Charges of Sitting room for receiving visitors, travelling expenses in the City, telephone Charges etc., and requests that he may be granted a Consolidated daily allowance of £2. a day:

~~Order~~

~~Dated~~

-Govt. are pleased to sanction Mr. Ranganatha Rao Saheb's request to raise his Daily allowance to £2 a day with effect from the date of his arrival in London ie, the 25th (January) 1923. the

(February)

above rate will cover all expenditure incurred by M. Ranganatha Rao Sahib ~~on account of~~ for official purposes viz. Office room rent, and all incidental expenses, ~~Connected with his Official Duties~~ except payments to establishment Office Contingencies.

The Comptroller is requested to make early arrangements for the payment of the daily allowance at the enhanced rate

Chief Secy to Govt

The Comptroller, Mysore Govt thro' the Resident

M. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib

Cannon Street Hotel, Cannon Street,

London E.C.4.

Issued

Rc. 5557/CS dt 11/6/1923

Dear Sir,

I am desired to request that the G.O. no. 5190-1/C.B.113-21-8 of 10th May 1923 raising the rate of Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib's daily allowance from £1 10 £2 with effect from the date of his arrival in London, the date may be kindly changed from 25th January 1923 to 25th February 1923

Yours sincerely,

Chief Secretary

T. Satyanejachetty Esqr. B.A.
Comptroller.

5557/CS dt 11/6/23

Copy to Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao Sahib, c/o. Messrs Coutts & Co, London.

By order,

For Chief Secy

11.6.

Copy sent. on 12/6/23

Copy to Financial Secty.